

From: Rich Faltisco
To: Microsoft ATR
Date: 1/11/02 5:50pm
Subject: Keep Going After Microsoft

Dear Friends,

The latest version of Microsoft Windows - XP - points out all that is wrong with Microsoft.

First, the price keeps going up and up for the operating system. Now literally priced fixed at one hundred dollars, what real alternative does the home user have to XP?

And certainly privacy has been thrown out the proverbial window. I really don't like big brother Bill Gates ready to gather all kinds of information on my computer if i load up XP.

Thirdly, Windows is a programming nighmare. I don't believe anyone but Microsoft knows all the hooks to the code.

Stability - IBM's OS/2 was a stable operating years ago. I believe Microsoft could have done this with Windows years ago, and not now with XP.

Several years ago i loaded up IBM's Os/2 Warp in parallel to Windows. As i did so, I got a message from Microsoft asking if i really wanted to do this. Pretty bizarre and pretty small, i would say.

And i think that is the attitude still indicative to Microsoft today.

Thank you for your time,

Rich Faltisco